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The Morning Star.

Forecast for To day.

For North Carolina—Fair; fresh northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

OUTLINES.

Fire at New Brighton, S. I., caused $400,000 damages. —— The Spanish note to the American peace commissioners proposes to submit the Philippine clause of the protocol to an arbitrator for interpretation. —— U. S. Marshal Melton, of South Carolina, says it would be unwise for the Tolberts to return to that State at present. —— Passenger train held up by four robbers near Los Angeles; the express messenger drove them off and killed one of the robbers. —— An alarming increase of crime is reported in Havana. —— Jno. W. Parsons, of New York, elected general master workman of the Knights of Labor. —— The queen regent of Spain has conferred the order of the Golden Fleece on President Faure of France. —— Ex-President Cleveland is expected at Georgetown, S. C., to join Capt. Evans and others in a gunning expedition on the Santee. —— Iloilo, capital of the island of Panay, is reported in the hands of the insurgents. —— Three white tramps set fire to a house and burned three little children to death, in Decatur county, Ga. —— A little white boy, eight years old, foully murdered in Greenville, S. C., it is believed by a soldier of one of the regiments camped near that city. —— A. S. Miller, a civil engineer, recently from Nicaragua, died in a hotel in Washington, D. C., of yellow fever. —— Ladies of Savannah propose to give a thanksgiving dinner to the soldiers of the Seventh corps. —— The Alabama Senate has invited President McKinley to visit Montgomery. —— In a street duel at Milledgeville, Ga., one man was killed and three men will probably die from wounds received. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent., the last loan being at 2 per cent.; cotton dull; middling uplands 5½c; flour was quiet and about steady; wheat—spot steady; No 2 red 76c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 39½c; rosin—strained common to good $1.45@1.50; spirits turpentine quiet at 36½@37½c.

Port Almanac---Nov. 20.

Sun Rises	6.41 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.50 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 09 M.
High Water at Southport	12 25 A. M
High Water, Wilmington	2 50 A. M

A Massachusetts club which is going to fight imperialism with a vim, has put up $100. That will buy some postage stamps any way.

The Empress Dowager, of China, sent Li Hung Chang to dam the Yellow River. That's what he is doing, and he is probably, mentally at least, giving the old lady some of the same sort.

The editor of the Dallas, Texas, *News* is a very extravagant fellow. He says "We spent in October just $14,500,000 more than we took in." We spent more than we took in, too, but not quite that much.

Attention is called to the fact that under the law as it now is the new magistrates elected on the 8th inst are required to qualify before December 1st otherwise their offices will be vacant and the Governor will have the appointment to fill the vacancies.

Four Republican Congressmen elected in New York at the last election report their campaign expenses respectively at $3,000, $6,610, $6,171 and $7,500. This will make a pretty big hole in their salaries, but possibly they have their eyes on some way to recoup and get even.

While those negroes are holding meetings in Northern cities and commenting on the race matters down this way wouldn't be well if they gave some brotherly advice to the negro soldiers in Cuba and Porto Rico, who are discrediting the flag they carry, and bringing odium on Americans?

A new company, known as the Grace syndicate, has been organized to construct the Nicaragua canal, and has secured possession of the concessions held by the Warner Miller Company. It is said that the necessary capital has been subscribed and the work will be prosecuted at once, pretty much over the route as surveyed.

The Western farmers are not so phenomenally prosperous that some of them will not jump at the chance to rake in some more lucre on the sly. One of them, from Nebraska, was lured from his home to Chicago and persuaded to invest $500 in a pile of "money" which would make him rich. When he got the pile as bargained for he found himself loaded with a big wad of brown paper, which made him very blue, and also quite sick. He went home a sad but a somewhat wiser man, and with a very bad opinion of some Chicago people, and perhaps not a very high opinion of the kind of sense he carried with him.

According to the latest story there is a woman at the bottom of the Philippine racket. As the story runs, Aguinaldo was in love with a young woman. He hooked her out of a convent and ran away with her, but was pursued and captured, the young woman taken away from him and he was thrown into prison. Ever since then he has hated the Spaniards and has been trying to get even with them.

Governor Pingree, of Michigan started in life as a mill hand. He is now head of a manufacturing company which turns out more than $1,000,000 worth of goods annually, and is the originator of the garden patch scheme which gave him the nick name of Potato Pingree, and also popularity.

Mr. Peterson, the director of an agricultural school in Denmark, says cows give down their milk more cheerfully when kindly spoken to and patted on the back. Cows are a good deal like some people who knuckle to kindness much sooner than they will to rude bossing.

The Governor-elect of New York goes into office on January 1st, but as that day falls on Sunday Theodore will have to postpone his blow out until Monday. But he will swear in on Sunday and be ready for the blow out.

Zola says he is not coming to this country to lecture us. Well inasmuch as we have downed the Russell-Holton-Butler-Thompson combine we will bear this disappointment with a reasonable amount of composure.

Maine produces more game than game politicians, like Tom Reed, for instance. Last year hunters brought down 10,000 deer, 600 moose, 500 caribou and 600 bears.

A New York woman made the mistake of stealing an alarm clock from a store in which she was shopping. The alarm went off and she went into the lock up.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—C. C. nuts.
Taylor's Bazaar—Clearing sale.
Jas. D. Nutt—Now for business.
King Grocery Co.—That dinner.
Second Regiment Band—Notice.
A. David & Co.—Boys' clothing.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Announcement.
Masonic—Meeting Concord Chapter.
Hall & Pearsall—Fish and fish roe.
I. B. Rhodes—Enormous appetites.
Geo. O. Gaylord—The war is over.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Capes, jackets.
Wil. Sav. & Trust Co.—Attention.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Board.
Lost—Bunch of keys.
Found—Sum of money.
For Sale—Electric phonograph.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. B. F. Rogers, of Concord was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mr. J. Ed. Taylor, editor of the Southport *Standard*, was in the city yesterday on business connected with his paper.

— Mr. Geo. M. Johnson, of Garland, has accepted a position as travelling salesman with W. B. Cooper, the wholesale grocer. He succeeds Mr. Herbert Smith, who was elected clerk of the court in Duplin county.

Removed to Southport.

Capt. Robert Robbins, who is in the service of the government here as superintendent of some branches of the river improvement works, yesterday moved his family to Southport, where he will reside in the future. This step was taken by Capt. Robbins, not because he was at all displeased with Wilmington and his surroundings, but because his work in the future will require his residence at the latter place.

Capt. Robbins and family have many friends in Wilmington, who will regret their departure from the city.

Magistrates' Courts.

Emma Highsmith, colored, was arraigned before Justice Fowler yesterday for disorderly conduct. The offence was not aggravated and she was discharged upon the payment of costs and a promise for good behavior in the future.

Justice McGowan had two submissions for disorderly conduct and assault and battery. They were T. W. Barr and Geo. Robinson, colored, and both were discharged upon payment of costs.

A. C. L. Schedule.

The Winter schedule on the Atlantic Coast Line goes into effect to day; but the changes are slight. The north-bound passenger train, No. 48, leaves Wilmington at 9.45 A. M. instead of 9.35 A. M., and the south-bound train, No. 49, arrives from the North at 5.45 P. M., instead of 5.40. Train from the South, No, 54, arrives at 1.25 P. M., instead of 12.20.

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CAPE FEAR CHAPTER.

Daughters of the Confederacy Receive Report from Convention Delegates.

GERMAN CLUB INVITATION.

Miss Chasten's People Give Another Recital—Miss Mary Meares to Write Up Social Side of Kings Daughter's Convention.

The Cape Fear Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, held a meeting of even more than usual interest yesterday at 4 P. M., in their regular rendezvous, the armory of the Wilmington Light Infantry. There was an excellent attendance of members, Mrs. W. M. Parsley, the president, presided and Miss Mary Meares, served as secretary in the stead of Miss Mary Sanders who could not attend.

The most interesting feature of the meeting was the report of the delegates, Mrs. W. M. Parsley and Miss Mary Meares, who recently returned from the general convention held at Hot Springs, Ark.

This was read by Miss Meares, and was a most excellent paper. Readers of the STAR will be glad to know that Miss Meares will very soon prepare a report of the general and social features of the convention for publication. The chapter voted yesterday that Miss Meares prepare such a report, and she has kindly consented to do so.

A resolution was introduced and adopted, providing for the consolidation of the offices of recording secretary and corresponding secretary. The office of chapter registrar was also created.

The report of the treasurer yesterday showed a balance of $41.25 cash on hand.

Two applicants for membership were reported. The chapter now has seventy-four members, and is in a very flourishing condition.

Judging from the reports of the convention by the Hot Springs daily papers, the North Carolina delegation to the Daughters of the Confederacy Convention received the lion's share of attention while there and made decidedly the most favorable impression. Wilmington feels especially complimented by this especially because two of the three North Carolina delegation, Mrs. W. M. Parsley and Miss Mary Meares, were from this city. The other delegate was Mrs. Overman, of Salisbury.

They were the first delegates to arrive at Hot Springs and were given a perfect ovation. On the first afternoon of their arrival they were given a tally-ho drive over the most fashionable driveways about the city in company with the Governor of Arkansas and other distinguished citizens. Throughout the entire session the North Carolina delegation was showered with attentions.

"Schubert Hall," Miss Cannie Chasten's music studio, was the scene of another delightful recital by Miss Chasten's pupils yesterday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. Quite a number of Miss Chasten's music loving friends and friends of the pupils were present and heartily enjoyed the programme, which was admirably rendered as follows:

Sonatina OP. 36 No. 3.....Clementi
(Allegro, Rondo.)
Miss Alice Craft.

Duet .....Mendelssohn
(From "Song Without Words.")
Miss May Muse.

Sonata OP. 7 No 4.....Beethoven
(Allegro, Minore, Rondo.)
Miss Fannie Corbett.

Marchie Heroique.....Schubert
Miss Carrie May VonGlahn.
(Second Piano, Miss Marcella Shrier.)

Wilmington's german and cotillion clubs have fully inaugurated the series of dances for the 1898-1899 season, and the STAR acknowledges, with assurances of appreciation, the following invitation from L'Arioso German Club, to-wit:

L'Arioso German Club,
Wilmington, N. C.
Season 1898 1899.

You are cordially invited to attend the Series of germans to be given on the Second Wednesday of each month.
Governing Committee.
Geo. D. Crow, President.
Donald MacRae, Vice President.
John Van B. Metts, Sec. and Treas.
Thos. W. Davis. Harold M. Chase,
Arthur B. Skelding. Jno. C. James.
Warren S. Johnson, Leader.

During the past week the STAR received neat invitations from L'Agile Cotillon Club, which read as follows:

L'Agile Cotillon Club,
Wilmington, N. C.,
Season 1898-1899.

You are cordially invited to attend the Series of Germans to be given on the Fourth Wednesday of each month.
Governing Committee.
George P. James. Prest.
William C. Crow, Vice Prest.
James M. Stephenson, Sec'y and Treas.
James M. Black, Champ McD. Davis.
Robert N. Nash, H. J. McMillan, Jr.
James H. Cowan, Leader.

White Laborers' Union.

There will be a meeting of the White Laborers' Union of Wilmington on Wednesday night of this week, at the their hall, corner of Eighth and Castle streets. The object of the meeting is to effect a permanent organization by the election of officers. Several other matters of much importance are to be considered. All white laboring men are urged to attend.

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DISCUSSED CITY AFFAIRS.

Board of Aldermen Refuse to Accept Mr. Skelding's Resignation as Member of Fire Committee.

The new Board of Aldermen are gradually straightening out matters and soon hope to have the city affairs on a good, sound basis. The board is composed in its entirety of substantial business men, who will lose no time in placing Wilmington abreast with other progressive cities of the South.

A called meeting of the board in private session was held in the Mayor's room at the City Hall yesterday afternoon.

All the members of the board were present.

Alderman King made a motion which was promptly seconded and unanimously carried, to the effect that it was the sense of the board that no member of the same should be eligible to any office to be filled by the board to which a salary or compensation is attached.

Alderman Skelding offered his resignation as a member of the committee on lights, stating as his reason for so doing that some unfavorable criticism had been made because of his being in charge of one of the lighting plants of the city. There was an immediate and unanimous objection to receiving it, and every member of the board spoke of the fitness of the appointment.

Mayor Waddell stated that he had consulted no one with regard to the make-up of the committee and had placed on the committee with Mr. Skelding a large stockholder in the other company doing business in the city and that there were four or five of those stockholders on the board as now constituted.

There being no further business for the consideration of the board, an adjournment was taken.

DIED IN RALEIGH YESTERDAY.

The Remains of Mrs. Joanna Mann to Arrive Here This Afternoon—Funeral To-morrow.

News was received here yesterday of the death of Mrs. Joanna Mann, widow of the late L. H. Mann, of this city. She died in Raleigh yesterday afternoon, and the remains are expected to arrive here this afternoon. The funeral will, however, probably not be held until to-morrow afternoon, inasmuch as the deceased's son, Mr. J. L. Mann, of Washington, D. C., has been telegraphed for and cannot reach here in time for the interment to be made earlier.

Mrs. Mann was born in Swannsboro, and died in the fifty-second year of her age. She leaves five children, H. W. Howell, of this city; Mr. J. L. Mann, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. W. E. Mann, Mr. S. L. Mann and Miss Geneva J. Mann; all of this city. And the STAR joins their friends in sincere sympathy for them in the loss of their mother—a most estimable lady, who was a consistent member of Fifth Street Methodist Church and the Ladies' Aid Society of that congregation.

The funeral service will be conducted from Fifth Street Church by the pastor, Rev. W. L. Cunninggim, and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

FORT CASWELL SOLDIERS.

Five of Them Attempted to "Paint the Town" and Were Arrested.

A squad of five of the Caswell soldiers were in the city yesterday on a furlough and went out for a little sport. They imbibed rather freely of "tanglefoot" and were in a very drunk and disorderly condition when the policemen happened upon them in the vicinity of Fourth and Church streets about 11 o'clock.

They were engaged in an altercation between themselves and were "painting the town" in a general wild western style, when they were arrested and brought to the City Hall and locked up.

An officer of the Fort, in charge of the men attempted, to quell the tumult without difficulty but the "boys" were very obstinate and had to be severely clubbed by the police before they were finally landed in the lock-up.

Four of them were recognized for their appearance at to-morrow morning's session of the City Court, but the fifth was retained in the prison.

County Board Audit and Finance.

The County Board of Audit and Finance this week in a two days' session completed its work of approving the county bills for October. The records in the office of Capt. W. P. Oldham, clerk to the board, show that the following bills have been audited and warrants issued for their payment:

Witnesses, $7.60; county commissioners, $56.70; coroner, 69.05; registrars, $70.10; bridges and roads, $240.45; elections, $1,244.28; incidental expenses, $3.00; poor house, $140.80; out door poor, $460.93; public buildings, $79 02; stationery and books, $3.81; janitor and salaried officers, $172.88. Total $2,548.62.

It will be noted that by far the largest bill in the above is for the election just passed, the sum being $1,244.28. The cost of the election for 1896 was, however, $920 61 more than for the one just passed, the total cost of the '96 election being $2,164.89.

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LOCAL DOTS.

— The tone of cotton yesterday was firm on the Wilmington market, with receipts 2,396 bales.

— The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Alderman, of Tomahawk, will be conducted this morning at 9 o'clock from Grace Methodist Church.

— The regular, *bona fide* mail circulation of THE MORNING STAR is larger than the mail circulation of all other Wilmington Dailies combined.

— The schooner *Talafa*, the largest four master which ever visited this port, is reported lost at sea while on a voyage from the West Indies to Port Tampa.

— For the week just ended the Register of Deeds has issued four marriage licenses. Three of these were to white couples and one to negroes.

— As will be seen from a notice published in another column, Concord Chapter No. 1, Royal Arch Masons, will hold a regular monthly convocation to-morrow night at 8 o'clock.

— Rev. J. T. Betts, of Whiteville, is in the city and will preach at the Brooklyn Baptist Church at 11 A. M. to-day, and Pastor J. W. Kramer will conduct the services at night.

— Attention is called to the order of President James W. Monroe, requesting members of the Second Regiment Band to meet at the band room this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The notice will be found in another column.

EXPERT TRICK RIDERS.

Wilmington Cyclists Astonished at the Feats of two Wheelmen who Arrived Here Yesterday.

Decidedly the most unique and expert exhibition of trick bicycle riding ever given in this city was that at the corner of Market and Second streets yesterday afternoon by "Rube" Shields and George Phillips who are making a tour around the border of the United States "from Boston to Boston." They are registered at The Orton and will be here until Monday afternoon and will give two more exhibitions Monday; the first at 11:30 A. M. and the second at 1 P. M.

The riding yesterday afternoon attracted several hundred people and filled every spectator with astonishment that such difficult tricks could be performed on a wheel. As a daring *finale* for the exhibition "Rube" Shields rode his wheel down the high and steep stairway leading to the second story of the building occupied by Mr. Simon Sanders' grocery store at the "Unlucky Corner." He went down the stairs in a jiffy and rode on across the street, standing with one foot on the saddle of his wheel. He wears a regular "hayseed" make up which, combined with his ready flow of wit, makes him especially popular with the crowds.

MR. PERCY V. ALDERMAN DEAD

He Was a Most Estimable Young Man. Had Been Ill About Six Months. Funeral This Afternoon.

Last night about 10 o'clock Mr. Percy V. Alderman, a most highly esteemed young man of this city, died at his late residence, corner Seventh and Mulberry streets, after an illness of about six months' duration. He was in the 29th year of his age.

The deceased was a young man of exceptionally high character and was quite popular with all who knew him. He had for the past eight or ten years held an important clerical position in the auditing department of the Atlantic Coast Line offices here. He was a valued member of the Second Regiment Band, of this city, having been secretary and treasurer of that organization at the time of his death. He was a member of Wilmington Council No. 19 Chosen Friends.

Mr. Alderman was the son of Mr. George F. and Mary E. Alderman, who are both living. He leaves a wife and one child, a son in the fifth year of his age. A brother, Mr. George A. Alderman also survives him.

The funeral will be from St. James' Episcopal Church at 3.30 P. M. to-day and the remains will be interred in Oakdale cemetery.

POLICE COURT.

A Number of Cases for Various Offences Tried Yesterday Morning.

Mayor Waddell had a full docket to dispose of yesterday, and a right nice sum was added to the city treasury as a result of the same.

The soldier who indulged in the promiscuous shooting near Tenth and Princess streets a couple of days since, was bound over to the next term of the Criminal Court in the sum of $200.

John Watson and Thomas C. Ramsay, for disorderly conduct, were fined $5 each with the costs in their respective cases. Samuel Hopkins, for being drunk and disorderly, was required to pay the same fine and costs.

Bruce Walker, for an affray, was also puuished for his misconduct to the same tune of $5 and costs.

Thomas Barr, for an assault, was not present at the session of court, and a capias was issued. He came in later and adjusted the matter satisfactorily to himself and the Mayor.

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FOOT BALL ON THANKSGIVING

High School Eleven to Play a Picked Team on Hilton Gridiron—A Game Yesterday Afternoon.

A big game of foot ball is scheduled for Thanksgiving day on the Hilton park gridiron. The High School eleven will play a picked eleven. The High School boys have proven themselves good players, and the team which will oppose them is to comprise the very best players in the city, so that there can but be a red hot and thoroughly interesting game.

Some of the players for the High School will be Smallbones, Wiggs, (Captain) Foster, Gause, Langston, Longhtln, Eurwin, Armstrong, Foard and Hall, and for the opponents such as Jewett, (Captain) Adkins, Greene, Potts, McClure, Ahrens, Huhn, Jorden, Dock and King.

The boys will charge men 15 cents admission and ladies will be admitted free.

Dixies vs. Mascots.

The Second Dixie and the Second Mascot foot ball teams played a game of foot ball on the Lutheran school gridiron yesterday afternoon. The "Dixie" boys were the victors by a score of 20 to 0.

The features of the game were the work of Rheinstein as full back, Spence as centre rush and Bellamy as right half back for the Dixies and of LeGrand as full back and of Myers as right half back for the Mascots.

The line up was as follows:

Dixie	Position	Mascots
G. Spence	c	W. Durham
Livingston	r g	C. Banks
C. Brown	s t	B. Bear
W. Spence	l e	C. Myers
C. Smith	l g	W. Banks
M. Macks	l t	B. Hall
E. Crow	r e	G. Shepard
C. Bellamy (c)	r h b	J. Myers (c)
J. Loder	l h b	H. Hall
A. Rheinstein	f b	E. LeGrand
A. Rosenman	q b	Joe Frink

MEMBER OF THE RECORD'S STAFF.

One of Manly's Brothers Probably Left Here for Newbern.

The whereabouts of the two brothers of Manly, the ex-editor of the *Record*, who were in temporary charge of the paper in his absence and who were in charge upon the occasion of its destruction, has been a matter of some conjecture, they having suddenly disappeared immediately prior to the destruction of the office.

A gentleman from Harnett county, whose veracity is unquestioned, was in the city yesterday and shed some light on the affair.

On the Sunday night following the demolition of the office on Thursday, Mr. C. H. Alexander, who lives about nine miles from town, was aroused by a negro, who inquired the way to the house of John Nixon, colored. He was given the information asked for and nothing more was [illegible] matter until yesterday when it was ascertained that the negro was one of the Manly brothers. He stated to Nixon that he was going to Newbern, and has no doubt reached his destination before this time.

Alex Manly, the editor, had associated with him on the paper his two brothers, L. D. Manly, foreman, and F. G. Manly, general manager. It was undoubtedly one of these who was applying to Mr. Alexander for direction, and he is probably now living in Newbern.

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT.

Robinson, Democrat, and White, Fusionist, Declared Elected by Small Majorities.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

CLINTON, N. C., Nov. 19.—The official vote of the Fourteenth senatorial district was not canvassed until to-day on account of the failure of the sheriff of Harnett county to meet the sheriff of Sampson and Bladen yesterday. The count shows J. W. S. Robinson, Democrat, to be elected by twenty-seven majority, and F. M. White, Fusionist, by twenty-four majority. Both senators are from Sampson. The vote was very close in the district.

DUNN, N. C., November 19.—The official count at Roseboro, to-day, of the vote in the Fourteenth Senatorial district, declares J. W. S. Robinson, Democrat, and White, Fusion, elected. The Democrats have claimed the election of Jones, and enough votes cast for Jones in one township in Sampson county were thrown out on the 8th to elect him by a good majority. In two townships in Sampson the Fusionists registered several votes on the day of election illegally.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor. English services to-day at 11 A. M.; German services at 7.30 P. M.; Sunday school at 3.30 P. M.

Services in St. John's Church to-day, Sunday next before Advent, by the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael. Holy communion at 7.45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 4.30 P. M. Sunday school, 3.30 P. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, Fourth street above Bladen, Rev. G. D. Bernheim, pastor. Morning service to-day at 11 o'clock; evening service at 7.30. Sunday school, 9.30 A. M. Free seats, and every person welcome.

St. James' Church, Sunday next before Advent. Services, 7.45 A. M., the holy communion; 11 A. M., morning prayer, litany and sermon; 5 P. M., evening prayer. Sunday school, 3.30 P. M. Public cordially invited.

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THAT DINNER

THAT YOUR WIFE HAS BEEN THINKING ABOUT ALL WEEK NEEDS A HUNDRED AND ONE LITTLE ARTICLES YOU DON'T GET EVERY DAY—MINCE MEATS, RAISINS, CITRON, SPICES, &C. BETTER GET YOUR THANKSGIVING ORDER IN EARLY.

THE KING GROCERY CO.,
B. F. KING, MANAGER,
'Phone 337. Fourth Street Bridge.
no 20 tf

A CARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 19.

Editor Star—In reply to the articles in yesterday morning's daily papers reflecting on the discharge by Capt. W. E. Craighill of the men employed at the government yard in in this city, under the headlines of "An Erroneous Report" and "The Charge Refuted," denying that there was any discrimination, we must say that they are correct wherein it is stated that negroes have not been employed in the place of white men. We, the undersigned carpenters, and caulkers for the United States Government Engineers Department in this city, wish to give the following facts to allow the community to judge for themselves who is in the right and who is in the wrong in this matter, and if a reply is written to this we will give other facts which are in our possession and which we withhold at prsent.

On November 10th, the day of the "riot," Mr. Greenberg went to Overseer Robbins and asked him for leave to go home to protect his family, which he granted, telling him that he hoped some black negro would dose you fellows. He also said to Mr. J. M. Chadwick that he hoped the negroes would kill the last d—n white man that went there. That we in a submissive way returned to work the following morning, ready to begin our labors, as if nothing had happened, but found no overseer and no one to work under. We returned again at one o'clock and offered to work, but found no "boss"; therefore, taking into consideration the feelings of Mr. Robbins toward the men, and finding him absent on two occasions when we offered to work, we decided as a body to work no longer under Mr. Robbins, unless he made an apology to us.

We were knocked off, and on Monday Mr. Humphrey put us to work again. On Tuesday morning, when Capt. Craighill came to the yard, he sent for us individually, and after asking each man if he would work under Robbins, and if there was any trouble we replied that after he (Robbins) made such a statement we preferred not to work under him any longer unless he apologized for remarks he made. Upon this reply he dismissed us, showing plainly that we were not discharged, as Captain Craighill says, for economic reasons.

There was [illegible] negro carpenter dismissed and [illegible] white (Democrats). A rush job was on the yard at the works, and it shows plainly that our trouble was altogether on account of the remarks made against white men by Mr. Robbins and our going home on the day of the riot to protect our homes and families. Was this discrimination?

(Signed) [illegible]BERG,
[illegible] DRIVER,
R. R. HOBBS,
J. M. CHADWICK,
RICHARD MCCABE,
EBIN HORTON.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—550 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 31 barrels rosin, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,195 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 121 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar.

Carolina Central Railroad—402 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 236 barrels rosin, 21 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

C. F. & Y. Railroad—243 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels tar.

Steamer W. T. Daggett—5 bales cotton, 20 barrels tar.

Schooner Samuel—25 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin.

Total—Cotton, 2,395 bales; spirits turpentine, 72 casks; rosin, 416 barrels; tar, 71 barrels; crude turpentine, 33 barrels.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure promp and regular delivery.

— The regular, *bona fide* circulation of THE MORNING STAR is much larger than that of any other daily newspaper published in Wilmington.

DIED.

ALDERMAN—At his residence, corner Seventh and Mulberry streets, November 19th, at 10 P. M., PERCY V. ALDERMAN, in the 29th year of his age.

Funeral from St. James' Episcopal Church this Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited.

MANN—In Raleigh, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. JOANNA MANN, aged 52 years.

Funeral from Fifth Street Church, this city. Interment at Bellevue.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M.

COMPANIONS—The regular monthly Convocation will be held to-morrow (Monday) evening, at 8 o'clock, Nov. 21st, 1898.
no 20 1t W. A. MARTIN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

MEMBERS OF THE SECOND REGIMENT Band. You are hereby ordered to appear at your Band room this Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, in full uniform with instruments to attend the funeral of our late Secretary, P. V. Alderman. JAMES W. MONROE, President.
no 20 1t

HALL & PEARSALL,
Wholesale Grocers.
SPECIAL OFFERINGS THIS WEEK.
Fish and Fish Roe,
Butter and Cheese,
Mixed Nuts, Cocoanuts,
Cakes and Crackers.
CANDIES—In Penny goods, Fancy Mixed and Stick. Get our prices before buying.
no 20 tf

It's Moving Time Now.

And when you start to take down THAT OLD STOVE *you may find out that it* HAS SEEN ITS BEST DAYS. *It has been a good Stove, maybe, and done good service, but its usefulness is over* NOW. YOU NEEDN'T HESITATE as *to where to buy the next. Go where the ASSORTMENT is LARGEST.*

Go where Cooking Stoves and all other kinds of Stoves are

MADE A SPECIALTY.

Remember the big run we made on Stoves last Christmas, don't you?

Go Where Experience Has Taught You Smallest Profits Are Asked.

In Other Words, Go To

MURCHISON'S,
ORTON BUILDING.
se 27 tf

Buy of Us.

We are the agents of the millers and packers, and you save a profit to buy from first hands.

Buy "Stock's Best" Flour.

It's the best to be bought.

WE OFFER

Rust Proof Oats,
Mullets,
Cheese,
Squire's D. S. Bellies,
Backs and Butts.
Cuban Blossom, Renown, Topical Twist Cigars.

Prices and samples sent on request.

Vollers & Hashagen,
oc 16 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Enormous Appetites to Feed

there must be, judging by the proportions our orders have assumed as Fall approaches. We are always busy, because people in Wilmington that know what good meats are know where to find them at a low price We will send you home a Steak, Roast or Chop fit for the most fastidious critic, if you leave your order.

I. B. RHODES.
no 20 tf

AT THE UNLUCKY CORNER
"RYE."

Not (Old Red Eye Rye) but the

BEST OF RYE FLOUR,

Graham and Whole Wheat Flour, Fine No. 1 Mackerel, Sour-krout, Dill Pickles, Mince Meat, Sausage, Mullets. In fact, any and everything you need to fill your table with the

Choicest Groceries.

S. W. SANDERS,
oc 27 tf 'Phone 109.

Clearing Sale at Taylor's Bazaar.

We must make room for Holiday Goods coming in. We will therefore make Great Reductions in Every Department. Ladies' Cloth and Flannels in every shade at reduced prices. Just received a fine line of Kid and Jersey Gloves. Four-Button Kid Gloves, 98c. A Three-Clasp Kid Glove, worth $1.50, for $1.00. A Fine Quality Jersey Glove, from 15c up, together with an elegant line of Cloaks, Jackets, Capes, etc., at Clearing Sale Bargains at

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR,
no 8 tf 118 Market street.

C. C. NUTS.

5,000 C. C. Nuts,
7,500 Pounds Raisins,
2,000 Pounds Mixed Nuts,
1,100 Bushels Peanuts,
2,000 Pounds Mixed Candy,
2,500 Pounds Stick Candy,
1,000 Pounds Broken Candy.
1,500 Pounds Dried Apples,
100 Barrels Apples,
250 Boxes Cakes.

W. B. Cooper,
Wholesale Grocer,
no 20 tf Wilmington, N. C.

RAISINS, RAISINS.

50 Boxes L. L. Raisins.

50 Boxes Loose Raisins.
50 Boxes Mixed Nuts.
50 Boxes Cheese.
15 Tubs Butter.

Also, Shot, Powder, Salt, Meat, Flour, Molasses, Tobacco, Fish, Corn, Meal, Sugar, Coffee, Drugs and other goods.

D. L. GORE,
no 18 tf 120, 122 and 124 N. Water street.

PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

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ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY)—One square one day, $1.00; two days, $1.75; three days, $2.50; four days, $3.00; five days, $3.50; one week, $4.00; two weeks, $6.50; three weeks, $8.50; one month, $10.00; two months, $17.00; three months, $24.00; six months, $40 00; twelve month, $80 00. Ten lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square.

THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1.00 per year, 60 cents for six months, 30 cents for three months.

All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, &c., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actually published

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any price.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per square for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 20.

APPLY IT AT HOME.

In the STAR of Friday and Saturday we commented upon an editorial which appeared in the New York *Tribune* discussing the late race disturbances in this State and in South Carolina, in which the writer held that there was no justification for the course pursued by our white people to protect themselves from negro domination. The conclusion from that article was that the white people must continue to submit to negro domination no matter how humiliating or oppressive it might be until they could outnumber and outvote the negroes, and that relief in any other way would be a negative of the theory of "majority rule" and be practical revolution.

If the theory of "majority rule and universal suffrage" were conceded to be fundamental principles there would be some foundation for the line of argument pursued by the *Tribune*, but the majority rule and universal suffrage as the fathers of the Republic understood it is quite different from the majority rule and universal suffrage as understood by those who criticise the white people of the South who do not see universal suffrage in the same light that they do, and do not hold it as "sacred" as they do. In our remarks yesterday we showed how this universal suffrage was imposed upon the South, and that the people of the South were never morally or as citizens bound to recognize it, in which refusal they have had the tacit or open approval of the people of other sections.

But our critics are neither candid nor honest for they find fault with us for refusing to submit to conditions to which they would not submit one day, if they could help it. They find fault with us for protecting ourselves from negro rule, and for keeping negroes out of office when they do not give the negroes a ghost of a chance to get into office, although if they did give the negroes among them such a showing there would be no danger of negro domination, as there is such a disparity between the number of negroes and the number of whites, the whites largely outnumbering the negroes. They show no more regard for the negro as an office-holder than the white people of the South do, and are studiously silent on their ostracizing the negro while lecturing us for refusing to be governed by him.

There are a great many negroes in some of the Northern States, such as New York, Ohio, and Illinois, where many thousands of them are voters, but who ever heard of a negro being nominated for any office in any of those States? If they think the way should be open for them to run for and to hold office in sections of the South where they are in the majority, (for that is what their contention means if it means anything), why should not the way be equally open to them in the North, where they have so many professed friends, and are in the minority? Wouldn't it come with better grace and more consistency from these critics if they showed their honesty by giving the negro some substantial recognition before criticising the Southern people for declining to put the negro on top?

Mr. McKinley received thousands of negro votes when he ran for the Presidency. Has he ever shown that the negro was entitled to any claim or consideration by appointing any of them to any position in the North? He has shown his appreciation not by appointing them to official positions in the North where they would come into contact with white people, but by appointing them to positions in the South, when by so doing he outraged public sentiment and intensified the race feeling, which he dared not provoke in the North. The logical inference from such appointments is that in Mr. McKinley's opinion negroes are good enough to hold office in the South but not in the North, thus practically negativing the "equality" of which the Republican editors prate.

From their standpoint, practically at least, and as shown by their treatment of the negro, the negro in the South is one thing, the negro in the North another, good enough to rule in the South but not good enough to rule in the North.

Taking possession of and holding the Antilles, and the Philippines, seems now to be the settled policy of the Republican party as represented by the Administration at Washington, and the leading organs which speak for this Administration and for the Republican party. The principal, in fact the only argument in justification of such a policy, in the face of our disavowal of any purpose of conquest, is that the natives of these islands are unfit for self-government, and therefore we must as friends to them, hold and govern the islands until the natives are sufficiently qualified to govern themselves. They make fitness to rule a qualification as to the people of those islands, and declare that it is a duty we owe to them to prevent them from ruling themselves until, in our opinion, they are competent to do it well, and yet the men who talk this way and show such solicitude for the welfare of these people whom we have taken under our paternal care, put ballots in the hands of the emancipated slaves of the South and thus not only vested them with the "constitutional" right to govern themselves, but to govern the white people of the South, and they did it, too, when a very large number of the white men of the South were disfranchised by the same party that enfranchised these slaves. They didn't show a tenth part of the concern for either the white people of the South or the black people of the South as they are now showing for these mixed races of the Spanish possessions, whom they are so solicitous to protect from themselves.

Isn't every reason they give on that line for refusing to turn the governments of these islands over to their own people, equally good against turning the government of any Southern State or the government of a portion of any Southern State over to negro rule, when they themselves admit that the negroes, after thirty-two years of voting, schooling and Republican training are not fit to rule? Why not apply the reasoning as to Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines to our home folks who are nearer to us and should be dearer to them?

HOLDING GOV. RUSSELL RESPONSIBLE.

The reported interview by a correspondent of the STAR with Marshal Dockery, published in the ... yesterday, is the first public ex... from the Dockery side ... slide, but it seems that the Dockery, Sr., tributes to the able administration of "Dan Russell" previous to the election were simply to pull the wool over the eyes of Dan, and thus influence him to do a little more in the way of boosting the Dockery candidates into the offices they were hankering for, especially Dockery, Sr., who had previously made some quite uncomplimentary remarks about "Dan."

It is pretty fair to infer that the Marshal in this interview voiced the sentiments of the Dockery family in holding Governor Russell responsible for the collapse of the Republican party, and that it would be doughnuts to them if their pet aversion were impeached. Nobody ever thought at any time that Governor Russell would wear mourning for the whole Dockery combine was cleaned out, but it is pretty sure that since reading this tribute of appreciation and kindly feeling he will not do any more than retire for a while and weep. Perhaps, though, when he recovers his equanimity he may reiterate some of his previous remarks. Under the circumstances, however, he should make a good deal of allowance for the Dockerys, as a whole lot of them were swooped by the same cyclone and naturally feel somewhat sore.

From New Zealand.

REEFTON, New Zealand, Nov. 23, 1898.

I am very well pleased to state that since I took the agency of Chamberlain's medicines the sale has been very large, more especially of the Cough Remedy. In two years I have sold more of this particular remedy than of all other makes for the previous five years. As to its efficacy, I have been informed by scores of persons of the good results they have received from it, and know its value from the use of it in my own household. It is so pleasant to take that we have to place the bottle beyond the reach of the children.

E. S. SCANTLEBURY.

For sale by R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist. †

A Sure Sign of Croup.

Hoarseness in a child that is subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Many mothers who have croupy children always keep this remedy at hand and find that it saves them much trouble and worry. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist. †

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CUFFING THE BLACK CONTINGENT.

The deluded negroes of this State who ever since their enfranchisement have been standing by the Republican party and voting as the leaders of that party told them to vote are now beginning to discover how misplaced their confidence was. No sooner had the result of the election been made known than a number of the Western Republicans began to discuss the organization of a "Lily White" Republican party, the doors of which would be closed against the negro.

A correspondent of the STAR, who had a conversation with U. S. Marshal Dockery, reports him as saying: "If you Democrats disfranchise the nigger (he is a 'nigger' now since the election) so that he can never get into politics again, we will form a 'Lily White' party and gain control in North Carolina inside of five years." This doubtless expresses not only the Dockery sentiment, but the sentiment of a good many other white Republicans in this State, and it is an illustration, too, of their utter selfishness and of their base ingratitude to and desertion of a race which has loyally stood by them for more than thirty years, and voted almost solidly for them at the last election.

J. B Fortune is a white Republican of Wake county. Shortly after the election he was quoted as saying that colonization of the negroes was the solution of the race problem and that he favored it. To explain himself more fully he sent the following which appeared in the Raleigh *Post* of Saturday.

As several papers have quoted what I said in regard to the results of the last election in North Carolina, and the future of the Republican party in the State as I see it, with your permission I would like to explain myself more fully.

I am in favor of building up a Republican party in North Carolina with the distinct understanding with the negro that he is not to have any office, where the appointment, or election of him to it, will injure his race, or weaken the Republican party. If the negro is not disfranchised by the Democratic party, let him plainly understand that he is at liberty to vote for any party he chooses. I am saying it because it is best for him and me both that we act honest with each other concerning conditions which confront us to-day.

He cannot protect himself. The State government cannot protect him, the National government cannot protect him, to hold office where the white man says he does not want him and will not have him. This is a settled fact.

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I have said that colonization was the thing for the negro. Now why do I say it? It may never be done But if the negro race has an ambition to hold office and political promotions during life, colonization is the only door open to him to prove to the world that he is capable of self government. Resolutions passed by the Northern negro does the Southern negro more harm than good. We do not want any Force Bill legislation for the South, either. Just let us alone and we can, if we will, build up a Republican party in North Carolina that the whole country will be proud of, and that the other Southern States can pattern after. There is ... difference in McKinleyism ... as there is between day-light and night, so far as the prosperity of the United States is concerned. And I want to see the Republicans of North Carolina go to work and organize the Republican party in the State on the principles of the National Republican platform—protection, sound money, territorial expansion, and a strong central government—and you will see the business interest of the State and thousands of voters join in and help to build up the only National party that has ever been able to give this country prosperity. These are my own individual views, honestly expressed. Respectfully,

J. B FORTUNE.

This is interesting only in so far as it shows the trend of thought of white Republicans, and what they really think of the negroes. It shows, too, that Governor Russell is not the only Republican who, practically at least, regards them as "savages."

CURRENT COMMENT.

— Admiral Cervera's official report emphasizes the work of the Brooklyn, Schley's flagship. It may be observed that his report was not revised by our navy department. Otherwise, Sampson's ship would have been substituted for Schley's. —*Atlanta Constitution, Dem.*

— Senator Hanna and some other people are talking glibly of a duty on tea and coffee, as if they were not aware that a duty is now levied on tea, under the new War Revenue law, which has raised the custom receipts slightly above the low level attained under the Dingley tariff.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

— A press telegram says that great indignation and excitement prevail at Madisonville, Ohio, one of the most artistocratic suburbs of Cincinnati. As Susan Williams a white girl, was riding on horseback into the village last evening she was stopped, pulled from her horse and assaulted by a negro. It is further stated that officers and blood hounds are scouring the country for the negro and that if he is caught he will probably be lynched.

It is safe to say that the people of Madisonville will not at this time hold an indignation meeting to protest against the treatment of the negro by the North Carolina whites. —*Manchester, (Va.,) Ledger, Dem.*

Beats the Klondike.

Mr A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug Store. Regular size 50 cts. and $1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded. †

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MUST BE SOMETHING WRONG.

REV. ETHRAN RAY CLARKE.

When earth produces free and fair
The golden waving corn,
When fragrant fruits perfume the air
And fleecy flocks are shorn,
Whilst thousands move with aching head
And chant this ceaseless song:
"We starve, we die, oh give us bread!"
There must be something wrong.

When wealth is wrought while seasons roll
Across the fruitful soil,
When luxury from pole to pole
Reaps fruit from human toil,
When from a thousand one alone
In plenty rolls along,
And others scarce a joy have known,
There must be something wrong.

When poor men's tables waste away
To barrenness and drought
There must be something wrong to pay
That's worth the finding out.
With surfeits one great table bends
The while a famished throng
Fight for the crust the board extends—
There must be something wrong.

Then let the law give equal right
To wealthy and to poor;
Let freedom crush the hand of might—
We ask for nothing more.
Until this system is begun
The burden of our song
It shall and can be only one:
There must be something wrong.
—*Chicago Record.*

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

—It is more blessed to give than to receive.

— Nothing but the right is finally advantageous.

— God certainly loves sunshine, or he wouldn't have made so much of it.

— If we grow stronger with the years we will grow happier bearing burdens

— Things don't turn up in this world till somebody turns them up.—*Garfield.*

— Buddhist priests in Japan are said to number 114,061, or one to every 400 of the population. Christian missionaries number 652, or one to every 60,000.

— There has been a great change during the last fifty years in the conception of what it is to become a Christian. The ideal of a Christian life has insensibly shifted. It is not clear that the modern ideal is further from the New Testament conception that the old one We simply point out that it is different from the old one. —*Watchman Boston.*

— But the question is what experiences you have had, but use you have made of them—whether you have read them aright, and learned wisdom by the things you have suffered; whether you went on and on, still trying to find God's star which was your one guide, still trying to read aright the sealed order which was continually being opened up to you.—*Oscar McCulloch.*

— Last year was the most blessed of any in the history of the American Board the Foreign Mission Board of the Congregationalists. There have been more accessions to their churches in foreign fields than ever before, and the converts have given more liberally Forty seven thousand of them gave $118.753. Secretary Barton says that estimated by the wages per day received and the purchasing power of money this equals $1 000 000 given in this country —*Western Recorder.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Smithfield *Herald*: From the present outlook it seems as if the acreage in tobacco in Johnston county will be quadrupled next year.

— Rockingham *Rocket*: Mr. Daniel Patterson, of Beaver Dam township, died suddenly on last Sunday morning and was buried Monday afternoon. He was about 106 years old.

— Rocky Mount *Argonaut*: Tobacco is coming in lively and prices are away up. Grade about the same. Between four and five million pounds have already been sold. It is estimated that about one half the crop has been marketed.

Raleigh *Post*: The *Caucasian* will seek new quarters and new surrounding. The last issue of Senator Butler's paper has made its appearance in Raleigh. The plant is being moved to Goldsboro where it will be printed in the future The advertising and business offices will continue in Raleigh, and the paper will be mailed from this point. One of the compositors, who has been employed on the paper, said yesterday: "The object in having the paper printed in Goldsboro is to reduce expenses. It is a strike at organized labor. Senator Butler has to pay Union wages in Raleigh and by having it published in Goldsboro he can employ rat labor. The paper is going down the hill. It only has 2,000 subscribers and is fast losing the hold it once had."

— Monroe *Enqurier*: A negro who lives in Monroe went to the polls on the 8th and cast a straight Democratic ticket and on that account his wife left him, swearing that she would live with no Democratic negro. — Columbus Ebert, an old time slave darkey who lives at Waxhaw, has never voted anything but a Democratic ticket and soon after he voted on the 8th inst his white friends, seeing that he needed some clothes, presented "Lum with a new suit, of which he is very proud —Henry Cuthberson, colored who lives on Mr. D. Mc. Price's plantation in Goose Creek township, had his house and all its contents destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon while he and his family were at work in the field some distance from the house. Henry thinks the burning of the house was the work of an incendiary, as he had been told that he would suffer loss, if he voted the Democratic ticket. Because if the threat Henry did not vote a straight Democratic ticket, but he suffered very severe loss just the same.

— Anxious to Learn: "Pluck is the secret of success on Wall street." "Well, I'll give you $10.000 if you'll teach me your method of plucking." —*Brooklyn Life.*

— The Army Food: "How was the food?" asked the chairman of the Investigation Board. "Well," replied the officer, "about the nearest thing I can compare it to is the stuff you get to eat when you are camping out with a summer party."—*Philadelphia North American.*

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with a pain in the chest or side, or a lame back, give it a trial. You are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist. †

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FRENCH COSTUME OF VENETIAN CLOTH FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

RED, which in every tone is a marked feature of Paris gowns, not only as a prominent accessory in combination and decoration, but for entire costumes as well, appears in the dark rich shade of the circular tunic over-dress to a French costume of Venetian cloth.

Its trimmings are bias bands of black velvet outlining the Vandyke points in front and then passing plainly around the back, which extends nearly to the hem of the black underskirt.

A full circular flounce of velvet added to a seven gored foundation of silk or satin stimulates under the points an entire skirt of the velvet, the width of the flounce at the foot being four yards and three quarters. A slight fulness, arranged in pleats under the fastening of the back, produces a graceful sweep below.

The corsage is made with one of the little fancy jackets which have retained all of their former popularity

Pleated back and front and bordered with bands of black velvet it opens over a full vest of white velvet patterned with black polka dots. The pleats of the back fall over a deep corselet of the black velvet, which is draped to a low point in front. The collar is a high band finished with a shaped ruffle, whose lining is velvet, and a fan-pleated bow of velvet forms the cravat. Small circular puffs surmount the close sleeves at the top, while at the wrists they have the fashionable flare The proper cut of this gown can be obtained only from the use of HARPER'S BAZAR Cut Paper Patterns. Bunches of violets intermingled with marguerites decorate the hat of crenulated gray velvet.

Quantity of material—cloth, 54 inches wide, 5 yards; silk, for upper part of foundation skirts, 6 yards; black velvet, 8 yards; white velvet, ¼ yard.

TWINKLINGS.

— An Unhappy Metaphor: "What is that French officer so excited and angry about?" "Some one, intending to be complimentary, spoke of him as having forged his way to the front."—*Puck.*

— Hard Luck, Indeed—"What's the matter, old man? You look in hard luck." "I am. Just moved to Harlem, and now I've gone and fallen in love with a Brooklyn girl."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— A Question: "I hope," said the cigar dealer, "we don't annex Manila and Cuba." "Indeed?" quoth the customer. "Yes. If we do, where in thunder are our imported cigars to come from?"—*Brooklyn Life.*

— It Would be Swift and Sure—"There is one way in which we could vanquish the whole world." "How's that?" "By having our War Department provide for the combined armies."—*Chicago News.*

— What Else Could He Think? Mr. Pitt—"What do you think of the new Flour Mill Trust?" Mr. Penn—"What do I think of the Flour Mill Trust? It is a grinding monopoly, of course."—*Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.*

— From His Point of View: "Did you see the story of that fellow with only $800 who succeeded in failing for $80,000?" "Sure." What do you think of it?" "Well, I wouldn't like to do it myself, but I would like to be able to do it."—*Chicago Evening Post.*

— A Sensible Souvenir—"What did your husband bring home from the Florida camp—an alligator or a parrot?" "He brought home the nicest souvenir you ever saw—a coal black colored mammy who can cook like an angel."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

A Wonderful Liver Cure.

The manager of the electrical exposition in Philadelphia asked Mr. Edison to visit the show and give a short talk on some electrical subject, or if he found it inconvenient to do so to send on a phonographic cylinder setting forth some of his latest ideas of electrical interest. Mr. Edison complied in his own way with the latter request, and in doing so while omitting any reference to electricity produced an electrical effect upon the management and the auditors by his contribution. It was as follows:

MY DEAR MARKS—You asked me to send you a phonographic cylinder for your lecture and to say a few words to the audience. I do not think the audience would take any interest in dry scientific subjects, but perhaps they might be interested in a little story that a man sent me on a phonographic cylinder the other day from San Francisco.

In the year 1873 a man from Massachusetts came to California with a chronic liver complaint. He searched all over the coast for a mineral spring to cure the disease, and finally he found down in the San Joaquin valley a spring the waters of which almost instantly cured him. He thereupon started a sanitarium, and people from all over the world came and were quickly cured.

Last year this man died, and so powerful had been the action of the waters that they had to take his liver out and kill it with a club. Yours truly, EDISON.

—Electricity.

Pearls.

Pearls, the costly product of the pearl fish of the Persian gulf, are obtained from the bed of the sea by divers, who bring up as many of the oysterlike shells as they can and then place them in heaps on the shore covered with sand. They are left for several days while the fish decay and the shells open, after which the sand is sifted and the pearls found. They are then cleansed and polished. The value of the pearl depends on its size, roundness, color and brightness. The most renowned pearls were the two which formed Cleopatra's earrings, one of which she dissolved in a goblet of vinegar and drank to the health of her guest, Mark Antony.

The remaining pearl became the property of the Emperor Augustus, who had it cut in two for earrings for his daughter Julia. Another historic pearl records a similar act of extravagance nearer our own time. It is said that at a banquet given to Queen Elizabeth on the opening of the Royal Exchange Sir Thomas Gresham ground a precious pearl to powder and drank it in a goblet of wine to the health of his royal guest.—*Chicago News.*

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BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute	7	@	7¼
Standard	7½	@	7¾
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ ℔	12	@	13½
Sides ℔ ℔		@	8
Shoulders ℔ ℔	6½	@	6½
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔		@	6¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔	6	@	6½
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 10
New New York, each		@	1 20
New City, each		@	1 10
BEESWAX ℔ ℔		@	22
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	5 00	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	15	@	18
Northern	18	@	25
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	46	@	47
Virginia Meal	47	@	50
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	80	@	8
CANDLES—℔ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	10½	@	11½
Dairy Cream		@	11
State		@	10½
COFFEE—℔ ℔—			
Laguyra	12	@	16
Rio	7½	@	9
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5½
Yarns ℔ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS—℔ dozen		@	14
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	4 00	@	4 35
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel		@	8 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	4 35	@	4 50
FLOUR—℔ ℔—			
Low grade		@	3 00
Choice		@	3 50
Straight	3 75	@	4 00
First Patent	4 50	@	5 00
GLUE—℔ ℔	7½	@	8½
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White		@	47
Car-load, in bgs—White		@	46
Oats, from store	35	@	37½
Oats, Rust Proof	40	@	45
Cow Peas	90	@	1 00
HIDES—℔ ℔—			
Green salted		@	6½
Dry flint		@	10
Dry salt		@	9
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s		@	
Clover Hay		@	75
Rice Straw		@	50
Eastern		@	75
Western		@	75
North River		@	75
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	1½	@	2
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	5	@	7
North Carolina	6	@	10½
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	24 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads		@	37
Porto Rico, in barrels		@	38
Sugar House, in hogsheads	19	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	12	@	15
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	1 60	@	1 65
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess	10 50	@	11 00
Rump	10 50	@	11 00
Prime		@	10 50
ROPE ℔ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 10
Liverpool	70	@	75
American	70	@	75
On 192 ℔ Sacks		@	47½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	3 50
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd		@	5½
Standard A		@	5¼
White Extra C		@	5¼
Extra C, Golden		@	5
C, Yellow		@	4¾
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3½	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W O barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R O Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Prime		@	7 00
Mill, Fair		@	6 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	4 50
Inferior to ordinary		@	3 00
SHINGLES, N C Cypress sawed ℔ M 6x24 heart	7 50	@	8 50
" Sap	5 00	@	6 50
5x24 Heart	4 50	@	5 00
" Sap	4 00	@	4 50
6x24 Heart	6 00	@	6 50
" Sap	5 00	@	5 50
TALLOW ℔ ℔		@	6
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	2 00
WOOL, per ℔—Unwashed	10	@	14

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market steady at 35 cents for machine-made casks and 34½ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market steady at $1.15 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for Hard, $1.90 for Dip and $1.90 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firmat 30@29½c; rosin steady, $1.15, $1.20; tar firm, $1.05; crude turpentine firm, $1.40, $1.90, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	72
Rosin	416
Tar	71
Crude Turpentine	33

Receipts same day last year.—167 casks spirits turpentine, 1,234 bbls rosin, 282 bbls tar, 42 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 5¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	2 5-16 cts. ℔ lb
Good Ordinary	3 11-16 " "
Low Middling	4 5-16 " "
Middling	4¾ " "
Good Middling	5 1-16 " "

Same day last year middling 5¼c.

Receipts—2,395 bales; same day last year 2,029.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina Prime, 45 to 55c per bushel of 28 pounds; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Virginia—Extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c; Spanish, 70@80c.

CORN—Firm, 52½ to 55 cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tide-water) 90c@$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps, $1.60 to 2 25; six-inch, $2 25 to 3.25, seven-inch, $5.50 to 6 50

TIMBER—Market steady at $2 50 to 6.50 per M.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent., the last loan being at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills at 485½@485¾ for demand and at 482½@482¾ for sixty days. Posted rates 483@486½. Commercial bills 481@481¼. Silver certificates 60½@61. Bar silver 60⅝ Mexican dollars 47½. Government bonds—U. S. new 3's —; U. S. new 4's, registered, 126⅞@127¼; do. coupon, 127@127¾; U. S. 4's 111¾@111¾; do. coupon, 112@113; do. 2's, 98½; U. S. 5's, registered, 111¾@112½; do. 5's, coupon, 111¾@112¾. State bonds strong; N. C. 6's, 125; do. 4's, 103.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Rosin—strained common to good $1 45@1 50. Spirits turpentine quiet at 36¼@37¼c.

CHARLESTON, November 19.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34; no sales. Rosin quiet and unchanged; no sales

SAVANNAH, November 19.—Spirits turpentine firm at 35½c; sales of 53 casks; receipts 92 Rosin firm; sales 1,053 barrels; receipts 3,188 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—The cotton market opened easy, with near months unchanged to one point higher and far months one to two points lower. The trading basis, following the call, was a shade over last night's figures, with the market quiet, but displaying a firm undertone Many traders in the pit had received limited buying orders from Wall street and other outside sources. Moderate buying by a leading bear early in the session contributed to the stability of the market. English cables were about as expected. Weather reports were conflicting. Later in the morning the market was irregular with prices tending downward under local selling Trade was very slow, however, with the nearer positions absorbing the bulk of attention. The close was steady at a net loss of one to three points. Estimated receipts at the ports to-day 62,000 bales, against 60,200 last week, and 60,215 actual last year. This week 400,000, against 517,433 actual last week and 398,322 actual last year. To day at Memphis, 6,250 against 5,016 last year, and to-day's receipts at Houston, 20,504 against 13 149 last year.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 5¾c.

Cotton futures closed steady; November 5.14c, December 5.16c, January 5.20c, February 5.24c, March 5 27c, April 5.31c, May 5.35c, June 5.38c, July 5.41c, August 5.45c, September 5.45c, October 5.47c.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling gulf 5¾c; middling uplands 5¾c; sales 500 bales.

Net receipts 1,279 bales; gross receipts were 3,789 bales; no sales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 72,994 bales; exports to Great Britain 7,727 bales; exports to France 11,596 bales; exports to the Continent 27,966 bales; stock 1,140,344 bales.

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Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 3,624,476 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,248,988 bales; exports to France 237,020 bales; exports to the Continent 877,537 bales.

November 19.—Galveston, steady at 4 15-16c, net receipts 20.182 bales; Norfolk, steady at 5 1-16c, net receipts 8,920 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 5½c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 5¾c, net receipts 1,009 bales; Wilmington, firm at 4¾c, net receipts 2,395 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 5¾c, net receipts 466 bales; Savannah, steady at 4¾c, net receipts 8,652 bales; New Orleans, firm at 4 13-16c, net receipts 16,996 bales; Mobile, dull at 4¾c, net receipts 1.674 bales; Memphis, steady at 5c, net receipts 6,228 bales; Augusta, firm at 5¼c, net receipts 1,442 bales; Charleston, firm at 4¾c, net receipts 8,873 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Flour was quiet and about steady; winter patent $3 65@4 90. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 76c; options opened steady and experienced a slight advance on the jump in corn together with large clearances and continental buying; closed unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 red March closed 74¼c; May closed 71c; December closed 73¾c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 39¼c; options were strong and active, influenced by higher cables, wet weather and light receipts; December closed ½c net higher; May closed 39¼c; December closed 38¾c. Oats—Spot firm; No. 2, 30c; options dull and feature-less; May closed 29½c bid. Beef steady; family $9 50@11 00; extra mess $8 50@9 00; beef hams $18 00@18 50. Cut meats dull; pickled bellies 5⅞@7¼c; pickled shoulders 4@4¼c; pickled hams 7@7¼c. Lard steady; Western steam closed $5 15; city $4 90; November $5 22, nominal; refined quiet. Pork firm; mess $8 50@9

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FAME.

Full many songs he wrote, alack!
He gave his whole youth to his art,
Yet not a single line came back
From other lips to cheer his heart.

"This is the last song from my pen!"
He cried. His heart was like to break.
He wrote it. Then from haunts of men
He fled away for poor pride's sake.

His time of prime he lived alone
And labored with his hands for bread,
Nor ever struck a tender tone,
Nor willing words to music wed.

But in the twilight of his years
His heart grew restless, and one morn
He rose with all an old man's fears
And sought the town where he was born.

He strayed within the busy street—
No face he knew, and none knew him—
He looked about for some retreat
And found a doorway cool and dim,

And rested there. "How sore to die
When there is naught to lose by death!"
A beggar woman paused hard by
And whined her song with gaps for breath.

It was his song—the one he wrote
That day he set his muse to fast.
Joy, like the lightning, flashed and smote
His heart, and fame was his at last!

—J. J. Bell in Spectator.

GOLD OF SILENCE.

More harm has been wrought in this world by the gold of silence than by the silver of speech. Especially is this true of matters of the heart.

Farland came to realize it in the end, but as he left the commanding officer and walked in his deliberate way across the hoproom to where Miss Cameron stood he was priding himself upon his ability to hold his tongue and, with a wretched sort of vainglory, nerving himself to hold it for seven hours longer.

Miss Cameron was talking to the regimental quartermaster, and when she caught sight of Farland she grew radiant. The regimental quartermaster observed this and was of course annoyed. He went away and left her with the lieutenant.

It is the fate of a woman to be forever smiling. Few men have learned to distinguish that eternal smile. Those who have have observed the subtlest tragedies of life.

Farland was not of them. He was too distinctly manly to understand women. He was therefore strengthened in his resolve to keep silence when Miss Cameron's expression in nowise changed as he told her that she must excuse him from the next dance.

"I have just seen the colonel, and he has been pleased to inform me that I must leave at reveille."

"For what portion of the globe?"

She gazed over his shoulder in apparent absorption in something at the other side of the room. If Farland had been a student of the sex, he would have known that this was overacting. It was one of the many of Miss Cameron's charms that she usually fixed her entire attention upon the person at hand.

"Where are you going?" she repeated.

"To Apache Blake's command; after that wherever the will of heaven and the craft of the Apache may lead me."

For just one instant her expression changed, but Farland was not acute.

"Upon a scout, then?" she asked.

"Upon a scout, yes. And as I have to leave before reveille, and as it is now 11 o'clock, there is no time to be lost."

Miss Cameron was smiling again.

"You will not sleep much tonight. Things must be serious."

"They are," he told her.

There was a pause—one of those intervals when the gods benumb our mental powers that instinct may have fair play. But we defeat their ends. We have trained instinct to lie quiet.

The lieutenant moved uneasily. Miss Cameron, with the delicate, much sung discernment of woman, thought him restless to be gone. She drew herself up to her full height, and the regal poise of her head was accentuated. Farland determined that she was indifferent and hard, and his resolution was enforced.

"You must not let me keep you," she said.

Farland was far too well trained to allow his anger and unhappiness to appear in more than an exaggerated unconcern. He took her extended hand.

"Shall you be here when I return?" he asked. His resolution was near to breaking. If her tawny eyes had grown ever so little soft, he would have flung his golden wealth of silence to the winds. But her pride was mighty, and it was aroused.

"My visit comes to an end this week," she said.

"We shall probably meet again," he ventured.

She shrugged her shoulders negligently.

"Probably. One can never be sure that one has seen the last of anybody in the army." And then she added, "Goodby!"

She would have been glad to bow her head upon her arms and to have kept her heartache in silence. Instead she gave the dance which was to have been Farland's to a married captain and succeeded perfectly in her effort to appear to enjoy it.

And Farland went out, morally and bodily, into the night. His was the code of honor—which considers not the woman—that holds that if a man may not ask a woman to marry him then and there neither may he tell her of his love. He thought he was doing right, and he was not one to rail at fate. A little tempest of temptation had ruffled the deep waters of his conscience for a time, but they were calm again. He remembered with resentment the haughtily poised head and the placid smile and the last glimpse he had caught of her through the hoproom window—a yellow gowned figure, swaying to the music in full enjoyment of life.

Well, she would have gone back to Bayard by the time of his return, and one could never be sure one would not forget—after years. He went into the barracks and gave his orders.

When the brass mouths of the bugles pealed their reveille welcome to the sun as it rose above the mountains, far across the prairie, Farland and his command were trotting toward Mount Graham, and Miss Cameron, still in the yellow gown, stood at her window with her hands clasped before her and watched the line of the receding column.

Farland stopped at Bayard two months later. The scout was over, and he was taking his command back to Fort Grant. They were to strike the railroad at Silver City, nine miles away, upon the following day.

He meant to see Miss Cameron. There was no longer a reason for silence. He waited with impatience while the commandant arranged for the disposition of the men. Then he walked with him across the parade. The primroses of the evening were opening, a great palo flower bursting out here and there in the grass, until even as he went all the ground was starred with them, and the children from the officers' line and the laundresses' row were running, laughing and screaming and calling out, to gather the handfuls of fragile bloom that would be wilted before tattoo.

Upon occasions of necessity the commandant's long, lank body could bestir itself, but there was no such occasion now, and Major Cameron resented Farland's haste.

"I say, Farland," he protested, "slow up. What is your hurry? You will not get dinner before retreat anyway."

Little the lieutenant reckoned of dinner. But he obliged himself to walk more reasonably. Major Cameron talked of the scout and its outcome. Farland tried to listen and to answer. In his joyful anticipation he forgot that he was a sorry looking sight to go a-woging; that his face was burned and his nose peeling, and his hair half cut, and his clothes ragged and dusty. Self consciousness was not one of his faults. The major broke off suddenly in the midst of a tirade against Indian agents, those pet aversions of the line.

"I suppose you are about worn out," he said.

"No," said Farland, "not in the least. Why?"

"You appear not to be able to keep your mind upon anything. You have no notion of what I said last."

"You said 'Mescaleros' last."

"But you have no idea whatever what I said about the Mescaleros."

"I am afraid that's so," Farland admitted.

"And over there at the corral you answered three questions that I hadn't asked."

Farland apologized civilly, but he had seen through the window Miss Cameron standing with clasped hands and head thrown back before the open fire. It was a favorite pose with her, and it recalled so much. The major might as well have addressed his concluding remarks to the flagstaff.

They went into the hall, and the commandant opened the door. "There is Clare," he said. "I believe you know each other. I will go and get Mrs. Cameron." He went away and closed the door again.

Farland was not demonstrative, but neither was he one to delay in carrying out a resolve. He took the hand that the girl held out to him and then went to the fireplace and rested his arm upon the mantel and looked at her speculatively.

"I am going to be very rash," he said, "and very precipitate."

She smiled incredulously. "How unlike you!" she said.

"Perhaps, but it is not unlike me to go straight to the point, I think."

She vouchsafed no encouragement. "It is not," was all she answered. She had long since determined that he was an unscrupulous flirt—worse than that, indeed, because he made more pretensions than most men. Now, when she looked into his keen gray eyes, that consoling fiction vanished. She wondered why he did not speak at once of the one thing that might reasonably be expected to be of interest—to herself, at least. But she folded her hands in front of her again and stood very erect.

"When I saw you last in the hoproom at Grant," he said, "I was to all intents and purposes upon half pay. My mother was alive then, and I was supporting her."

She looked at him, puzzled. Why should he tell her this now? While there had yet been time he had been chary enough of his confidences. While there had yet been time— She looked at him as he stood there before the fire, young and strong, with his pistol belt showing beneath his faded blouse, the kerchief knotted around his neck, the dusty boots with their spurred heels, his face so absurdly sun and wind burned, glowing with blond redness in the firelight. While there had yet been time— She checked an inclination to throw out her arms and cry aloud.

"That is why," he went on, "I did not feel justified in telling you—though you might, I should think, have seen—that I loved you."

She went up to him and put her hand upon his shoulder and tried to speak.

"Well, what?" he asked. He was submitting fatally to some blow which he saw in her hardening eyes was going to fall.

"I"—she was forcing the words from her throat with a harsh, dry sound—"I married Captain Whitcomb three weeks ago because I did not know."

Farland turned away and drew a chair near to the fire. The movement was quite natural, quite free from any gesture of tragedy. He was too stunned to feel the pain at once. That would come afterward and stay through many years. He sat down in the chair and watched the flaming mesquite root. It was a little hard for him to draw his breath, and the pain was beginning now too.

Clare stood upon the other side of the hearth and looked dully ahead of her. Then she drew her hand slowly across her eyes.

"I must go home," she said.

Farland did not answer her, and she went out and closed the door.—Gwendolen Overton in Argonaut.

Frank Inconsistency.

John Hunter, one of the pioneers in the practice of medicine 100 years ago, was absolutely blind to any theory unsupported by facts. While many men were guessing out things he was seeking to prove them.

"I love to think," he said to one of his colleagues, though he afterward qualified the statement by an almost contradictory one.

"But why think? Why not make the experiment?"

Like other men of real genius, he was not afraid of seeming inconsistent. Sir Astley Cooper once asked him, with some surprise, if he had not once stated an opinion directly at variance with one he had just put forth, and he replied:

"Very likely. I hope I grow wiser every year."

Again a pupil inquired if he had not written to a certain effect.

"Never ask me what I have said," he returned, "or what I have written. But if you ask me what my present opinions are I will tell you."

Sometimes, too, he would say to pupils who were taking down notes: "You had better not write down that observation. Very likely I shall think differently next year."—Youth's Companion.

Suspicion.

"I really believe," said Mr. Meekton, "that I would like to be a chef."

His wife dropped her knife and fork and frowned.

"Leonidas," she exclaimed severely, "I believe you have been reading some of those silly paragraphs about the way cooks browbeat the woman of the house."—Washington Star.

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Herr "Underwear."

A young German engineer whose name is Herr "X." von der Werra had an amusing incident happen to him on a recent ocean voyage which will bear repeating and which he narrates himself with relish. On the steamer were several English ladies who were devoted to whist and who frequently called upon Herr X. to join them in a friendly rubber. The young man does not care particularly for the game; but, as the ladies in question had several charming girls under their wings, policy as well as politeness bade him join in the daily games. The young man suffered from a severe cold, and, in order to protect himself from the drafts, took occasion to wear a couple of heavy bicycle sweaters in addition to his ordinary clothing.

The ladies sympathized and frequently spoke to Herr X. "fundervear," as they pronounced it, about his precautions against additional cold. He was not particularly well versed in English, and the pronunciation of his name puzzled him very much—in fact, he thought they were referring to his sweaters, so finally he blurted out: "Ladies, why do you call me Mr. Underwear? Is it because of these sweaters?" The reply was lost to posterity in the roar of laughter which caused the windows of the saloon to rattle.—Philadelphia Record.

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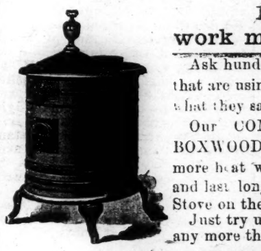

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Total	$956,034 64	Total	$956,034 6

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:

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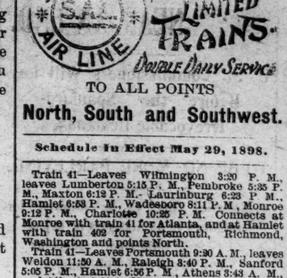

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Leave Mt. Airy	8 45 A. M.
Leave Rural Hall	10 09 "
Leave Walnut Cove	10 36 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Greensboro	11 55 "
Leave Greensboro	12 13 P. M.
Leave Climax	12 43 "
Leave Sanford	2 30 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	3 49 "
Arrive Fayetteville	3 52 "
Leave Fayetteville	4 02 "
Arrive Wilmington	7 05 "

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Arrive Maxton	9 03 "
Leave Maxton	9 07 "
Leave Red Springs	9 35 "
Leave Hope Mills	10 20 "
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Leave Fayetteville	4 38 P. M.
Leave Hope Mills	4 58 "
Leave Red Springs	5 35 "
Arrive Maxton	6 09 "
Leave Maxton	6 15 "
Arrive Bennettsville	7 15 "

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Leave Greensboro	9 55 "
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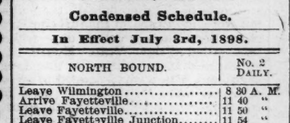

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SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 20.

CONDITIONS IN HAVANA.

Fire Department to be Turned Over to the Municipality—An Alarming Increase of Crime in the City.

By Cable to the Morningar St

HAVANA, November 19.—The battalion of municipal firemen which formed part of the reserve Spanish army and which served during the entire three years' campaign, has been dissolved. The entire brigade, with the engines and fire equipment, will be turned over to the municipality on Monday.

The Havana Chamber of Commerce has cabled to the minister of state at Madrid for authority to establish a Spanish Chamber of Commerce after the evacuation of the island by the Spaniards, the Spanish Chamber to be presided over by the Spanish consul.

The police reports show an alarming increase of crime in this city, and the local newspapers report twenty to thirty bold-ups in broad daylight daily. Organized gangs of thugs and footpads terrorize the neighborhoods on the outskirts of town. The police are doing their utmost to suppress the lawlessness, but they are handicapped by the recent disbandment of the Orden Publico.

MADRID ADVICES.

Exchange of Compliments Between Queen Regent and President Faure—Emperor William's Tour.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MADRID, November 19.—The Spanish government has received dispatches from Senor Monteros Rios, president of the peace commission at Paris, detailing the investiture of President Faure with the order of the Golden Fleece, bestowed upon him by the Queen Regent, and giving further particulars regarding the peace negotiations.

President Faure has conferred the Grand Cordon of the Legion of Honor on the Queen Regent.

An official dispatch from Iloiloi says the situation in the Visayas islands is less grave than alleged. The insurgents' attack on Iloilo is denied.

Count Von Radowitz, the German ambassador, has officially notified the Spanish government that Emperor William has abandoned his intended visit to Spanish ports "owing to the change in temperature in the Mediterranean."

AT GEORGETOWN, S. C.

Capt. Evans and Party to be Joined by Ex-President Cleveland for a Gunning Expedition on the Santee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, November 19.—A special to the *News and Courier*, from Georgetown, says:

Capt. Robley D Evans, Capt. S. M. Ackley, Gen. Anson McCook and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McAlpine arrived in the city this morning at 6 30 on a special train and boarded the government launch Water Lily, which was in waiting for them, and proceeded down to the Murphy Island shooting preserves on the Santee, where they will be the guests of the club. [redacted] President Cleveland and Commo[redacted] E. C. Benedict are expected here in the morning in the latter's yacht Oneida, from New York, to join the party.

DISORDERLY NEGRO SOLDIERS,

Colored Troops at Macon, Georgia, Causing Trouble—An Incipient Riot.

MACON, GA., Nov. 19.—Macon had an incipient riot to-day, caused by negro soldiers. Some one pointed out to the negroes a persimmon tree on which a negro rapist was hanged nine years ago and this excited the negroes to such a state that they fired a thousand shots into the tree and then cut it down, chopping it into kindling wood.

At this stage of the proceedings Mr. Dave Riley, the owner of the land on which the tree stood, came along and the negroes started at him, yelling "burn him." Mr. Riley was in a buggy and got away. The negroes then went to Crumps Park, a suburban resort, for the purpose of destroying it. Henry Berkner, the watchman, attempted to drive them away, but he was assaulted and his pistol taken away from him.

To-night a negro sentinel shot and fatally wounded another negro.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT

For the Week Ending Friday, Nov. 18, 1898.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending Nov. 18th:

	1898.	1897.
Net receipts at all U. S ports during the week.....	417,507	398,985
Total receipts to this date.....	3,551,482	3,231,797
Exports for week..	359,042	351,850
Total exports to date.....	2,316,675	2,058,798
Stock in all U. S. ports	1,125,867	871,717
Stock at all interior towns.....	619,236	482,583
Stock in Liverpool,	792,000	505,000
American afloat for Great Britain...	495,000	352,000

WOULD NOT BE SAFE

For the Tolberts to Return to South Carolina at Present.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 19.—U. S. Marshal Melton, of South Carolina, had a conference with Postmaster General Emory Smith to-day regarding some postoffice appointments. The race troubles in that State were not discussed. Mr. Melton stated positively his personal belief that the Tolberts would not be safe if they returned to their State. "I have no hesitation," he said, "in saying that it would be very unwise for them to return until after the excitement has subsided. That may be a matter of weeks."

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NEGOTIATIONS NEAR AN END.

U. S. Commissioners Will Lay Before the Spaniards Irrevocable Demands.

TO BE NO MORE PARLEYING.

A Specified Time to be Allowed for Conditions to be Accepted or Rejected—The Ultimatum Demands Surrender of Entire Philippines.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—The American peace commissioners to-day have been closely engaged in formulating the terms of the important communication to be made to the Spanish commissioners next week. It is impossible at present, however, to determine whether the work will be completed for presentation on Monday or Tuesday, though it is believed the Americans will be ready on Monday. While the Americans fully appreciate the necessity of making progress, they are also under the necessity of greater care in the preparation of what may possibly be the conclusive record of these negotiations. The Spanish commissioners consumed a week in the preparation of their last memorandum, but the Americans will not require so long a time to complete the work in hand. There was no meeting of the joint peace commission to-day.

Propose Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—It was not until a late hour last evening that the last paragraphs of the long translation of the Spanish communication which was presented to the American peace commissioners last Wednesday were deciphered at the State Department, and most of the members of the cabinet were not aware of the full contents of the document until to day when they called at the White House. It appeared that in addition to the long argument which was intended to show that the word "disposition" used in relation to the Philippines meant something else, the Spanish note did include a proposition to submit the Philippine clause of the protocol to the interpretation of an arbitrator.

Another cablegram followed the first long message, this time directly from Judge Day, seeking instructions definitely on some points to be made in the American answer which is yet to be prerented. These instructions have been sent forward, and it may be stated without going into details, that they are precisely in line with the policy which the American commissioners have been pursuing up to this point in the negotiations.

Other Matters for Consideration.

There are several matters of real importance, though not ranking with the Philippine question, to be treated by the commissioners; but the instructions to the Americans are not to call up these at present or until the main pending issue relative to the Philippines has been settled, in order to avoid complicating the proceeding. In the event that the commissioners disagree totally at their next meeting on the Philippines, therefore, there will be no discussion of any of these subsidiary questions, but in the other event, namely that an agreement shall be reached on the principle of the Philippine disposition, these matters may be expected to consume at least one or two additional sessions of the commission. One of these subjects concerns the restoration of trade relations between the United States [redacted] the beginning [redacted] with the [redacted] two countries are to get along amicably, even after the declaration of peace, there must be working arrangements in treaty form for the protection of trade interests, the equalization of tariff charges, the regulation of ex tradition and such subjects as are usually included in treaties of trade and commerce and amity. So far the commissioners have given no consideration to these matters in their ex changes.

Negotiations Nearing an End.

It is believed that the peace negotiations are nearing an end, and it is considered not improbable that by the end of the present week all of the main features of a treaty will have been formally agreed to or the effort to reach an amicable settlement abandoned. With a view to bringing matters to a speedy conclusion our commissioners, by direction of the President, early the coming week, will lay before the Spaniards the final and irrevocable demands of this country, allowing a specified time in which our conditions may be accepted or rejected. This ultimatum, it is understood, involves all that has thus far been contended for, concluding the surrender to the United States of the entire Philippine group and also names the amount of cash which this government will pay Spain in consideration of her expenditures on account of pacific improvements and betterments in the island of Luzon. The amount of this cash payment is not known, but there is a basis for the belief that it is approximately $40,000,000.

TRAIN HELD UP.

The Robbers Driven Off by an Express Messenger with a Shot Gun.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN BERNADINO, CAL, Nov 16.—The westbound overland passenger train was held up by four robbers about one o'clock this morning between Daggett and Barstow. Express Messenger Hutchinson drove them off with a shot-gun and the train pulled out for Los Angeles. At Barstow the trainmen sent a posse back to the scene of the hold-up, where the body of one of the robbers was found, perforated with shot. A special train with Sheriff Holcomb has left this city for the scene of the hold up.

CAPTURED BY INSURGENTS.

Hoilo, Capital of the Island of Panay, of Philippine Group.

By Cable to the Morning Star

MANILA, Nov. 19.—It is reported that Iloilo, capital of the island of Panay, is in the hands of the insurgents. The United States cruiser Charleston and the U. S. gunboat Concord have gone there

The Spanish craiser Isla de Cuba and Isla de Luzon, which were sunk during the battle of Manila, have been floated and docked at Cavite.

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A FIENDISH MURDER AT GREENVILLE, S. C.

A Little White Boy Cruelly Butchered. The Murderer Supposed to Be a U. S. Soldier.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 19.—A special to the *State* from Greenvilli, S. C., says:

Weaver Smith, a little white boy beggar, was most foully murdered Thursday night in the heart of town, and the mutilated body was not found until nearly twenty-four hours later. A more terrible crime than murder had preceded the butchery of the boy, and the fiend incarnate who did the deed is unknown. A long gash in the boy's stomach caused the boy's death and the entrails were protruding from the body. Weaver Smith was about eight years old, and was a notorious beggar around town, having a skilfully worded story of distress. When last seen by citizens he was at J. W. Riser's, sexton of Springwood cemetery, Main street, by whom he was given some food about 7 o'clock Wednesday night. From there he went towards the First brigade camp. He secured some money and food there, and visited the Fourth New Jersey regiment last.

Late yesterday afternoon a negro woman discovered the boy lying among the weeds on Elford street, which is a side street, one block north of the Confederate monument. The boy was lying on the south sidewalk, which is rarely used. When discovered he was lying on his face and, on being turned over, the cut in his stomach was revealed. The physician found unmistakable evidence of a more fiendish crime committed before death, and the boy was doubtless killed to prevent its discovery.

Two New York soldiers coming from camp to town Thursday night heard cries on Elford street and approaching, found another soldier, unknown to them, with a boy, who, the soldier claimed had lost his way. The unknown soldier's command is not known and the New York soldiers left him standing near the child. It is believed the boy was Weaver Smith and the soldier his assailant and murderer. The crime has aroused the greatest indignation among citizens and soldiers, and if the guilty man is caught and proves to be a soldier his comrades will endeavor to make short work of him.

OUTRAGE BY TRAMPS.

A House Fired and Three Little Children Burned to Death.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Nov. 19.—A special to the *Times Union and Citizen* from River Junction, Fla., says:

This afternoon about four o'clock, three unknown white men went to the house of Andre Shaekleford, a farmer, living about five miles above here in Decatur county, Georgia, and demanded food from his wife. She was alone with her three children, and offered bread, saying it was all she had. They demanded meat, with an oath. She became frightened and fled to the woods. The tramps caught the three little children and set fire to their house, roasting the little ones to death.

Sheriff Patterson, of Bainbridge, Ga., has been wired to come at once with bloodhounds and strong hopes are felt that the fiends will be apprehended.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

Large Sales of Print Cloths—Export Goods in Demand.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—The week has been remarkable in the print cloth market as having larger sales of regular cloths and other grades now described as "committee goods" than any week for several months. The advisory committee of the manufacturers gave out no figures, but it is probable that sales have amounted to about 400,000 pieces, perhaps more. It is said that regulars have sold at 2 1 16 cents on November-December delivery, and that goods are easily obtainable at this price. In staple cottons, locally, there have been continued large sales of export goods in brown cottons. The demand shows no signs of abatement. In bleached cottons the market is more active since the recent reductions.

COLLEGE FOOT BALL.

Harvard Defeated Yale in a Clean, Fast Game.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., November 19.—The Naval Cadets to-day defeated the University of Virginia, six to nothing.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., November 19. Harvard defeated Yale this afternoon, seventeen to nothing, winning a glorious foot ball victory in a clean, fast game, abounding in brilliant plays. The Harvard eleven showed themselves masters of the game, excelling in every department and playing foot ball well nigh marvellously under such miserable weather conditions.

SEVEN BUILDINGS BURNED.

Fire at West New Brighton—Damage About $400,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—A fire which broke out in the shipyard of John H. Starin, at West New Brighton, S. I., to-day, burned seven buildings and their contents and caused damage estimated to be about $400,000.

The blowing of the wind from the shore prevented the destruction of several of the steamboats of the Starin Company, which were tied up at the dry dock, undergoing repairs. The four immense dry docks of the company, each worth about $150,000, were also saved.

AFFRAY IN MANILA.

Three American Soldiers Wounded and One Killed by Natives.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, November 19.—Three Filipino natives last night hired a carriage and afterward became engaged in a dispute with the driver regarding the fare. Some members of the American military police attempted to arrest the natives, but the latter resisted and Sergeant Price, of the Minnesota regiment, was stabbed and killed and three other American soldiers, Maher, Montgomery and Hoyt, were wounded. Maher shot one native dead. The others were arrested.

Archie S. Miller, a civil engineer, age 32 years, single, died in a hotel in Washington, D. C., yesterday from what the physicians have pronounced to be yellow fever.

MORE COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE CAMPS.

Testimony of Numerous Witnesses Before the War Investigating Commission.

THE EVIDENCES OF NEGLECT.

Hospitals Overcrowded—Food Poor and Badly Cooked—A Plague of Flies. Sanitary Conditions Abominable—Lady Nurses Useless.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 19.—The War Investigating Commission resumed its sessions this morning. The first witness was Mrs. Edwin C. Allis, of New York, who went to Camp Wykoff to help nurse the sick. She complained that hospitals were overcrowded; that in one of them the food was poor and badly cooked; that the sanitary conditions were bad and that as a consequence the sick and well suffered from a plague of flies. Also that the hospital nurses and orderlies were careless in attending to the complaints of the sick. She could not remember names, but she said she heard one doctor diagnose a soldier's trouble as "simple intoxication," and the soldier died of typhoid fever two days later. Summing up her conclusions, Mrs. Allis thought there were not enough attendants in the hospitals and that no care was taken to separate the dying, the delirious and the convalescent patients.

Maj. George T. Lorigan, Ninth New York infantry, complained that no preparation had been made for the reception of his regiment at Chickamauga. He had no complaint to make of the supplies. When asked about the medical treatment he said: "There were many complaints of Dr. Hubbard. He treated officers pleasantly, but he was rough to the men. The only case I know of was when a sergeant broke his leg in getting off the train at Chattanooga. Instead of taking the man to a hospital in the city Dr. Hubbard insisted that he be taken to camp, twelve miles away. The man died on the way."

Capt. Howell asked: "Was the want of proper food the cause of sickness in your regiment?"

"No; the sickness was due to the early want of sinks, and later because they were dug inside the pipe line and within ten feet of tents, whence they drained to the tent trenches."

Miss Margaret Garrad, of Morristown, N. J., a volunteer worker among the sick at Camp Wykoff, testified that she found many evidences of neglect at the camp. Men too weak to help themselves were found lying unconscious on the streets of Long Island city, and in every instance where she made inquiries she learned that there were neither doctors nor nurses on the trains of the convalescents.

Questioned by Ex-Governor Woodbury, Miss Garrad said: "The worst feature I observed at Montauk was the plague of flies. None of the stories which have been told about the great quantity of flies has been exaggerated." She said there was no netting or screens at the camp, and no one in authority seemed to care about it.

Lieut. Chas. E. Edwards, of the Seventy first New York regiment and a professional nurse, in reply to questions by General Dodge, said:

"I was technically starved for four weeks after I recovered from yellow fever in Cuba, but that was the best treatment for the disease. Many of the deaths in Cuba were due to the ignorance of the men affected. The doctors told them 'if you eat you die.' Still they ate. The volunteer ladies who went to Montauk as nurses did more harm than good. Their intentions were all right, but they did not accomplish their purpose. They had at their quarters, soda water, ginger ale, champagne cider, chicken, and bread and butter. They sympathized with the men landing from the transports and invited them to eat and drink. Of course the men wanted to eat and the volunteer ladies gave them chicken and other edibles A few days later the men would be dead and the volunteer ladies would go around blaming the government."

At 4 o'clock Gen. Lodge adjourned the further hearing for lack of witnesses. He said that he had received a dozen letters from expected witnesses, explaining that they had nothing to tell to the commission. The commission has been greatly disappointed at the failure of Robert R Roosevelt to present certain witnesses. Mr. Roosevelt wrote to the commission offering to present evidence of the truth of many complaints of outrageous treatment of soldiers published in the newspapers since the beginning of the war. The commission promptly accepted the offer, but so far Mr. Roosevelt has not waited on the commission.

BLOODY STREET DUEL.

One Man Killed and Three Men Wounded, One Fatally.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MACON, GA., November 19.—W. O. Finney and his son, Tom, fought a street duel at Milledgeville to day with W. B. and J. R. Stanley. W. O. Finney was killed. Tom Finney will probably die. The Stanley brothers are seriously and perhaps fatally wound-d. Old man Finney was shot through the head by Stanley's first fire and he fell dead. Tom Finney stood over his father's body, and after emptying his own pistol took up the old man's and fired the three loads remaining.

Tom Finney runs a restaurant. W. B. Stanley cursed him about the dinner served. Tom went out and got his father, who is a wheelwright, and the two encountered the Stanleys in the street, when the battle opened.

A RIOT IMMINENT.

Trouble With Negro Soldiers at Anniston, Alabama—Feeling Intense.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ANNISTON, ALA., November 19.—A riot is imminent here. Negro soldiers interfered with the white provost guard as they were arresting a drunken negro soldier. The negro was finally landed in the jail, which is now surrounded by an angry mob of white soldiers, clamoring for his blood. The feeling is intense and more trouble is feared.

At the meeting in Chicago of the Knights of Labor Jno. W. Parsons, of New York, was elected general master workman by a close vote over the present officer, Henry H. Hicks, who is also a New Yorker.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, increrase $1,655,575; loans, increase $5,897,800 specie, increase $2,947,600; legal tenders, increase $1,066,200; deposits, increase $9,496,900; circulation, increase $182,000.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

Chairman Holton on Defeat of Fusionists. Governor Russell—Christian Church Wants Compulsory Education.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 19.

Chairman Holton is out in a long interview, giving the reasons for the defeat of the Fusionists. He says that fusion between the Populists and Republicans is at an end. Holton contends that the anti-corporation tendency of the Fusionists and their antagonism to business interests was responsible for their defeat.

The Eastern and Western Conferences of the Christian Church have memoralized the next Legislature to pass a compulsory educational law.

Governor Russell will return from Asheville, where he has been in consultation with Pritchard, Pearson, Lusk and others, to-day.

Senator Butler's paper, the *Caucasian*, will be moved to Goldsboro shortly.

A report is current in railroad circles here that Mr. T. J Anderson, general passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line, will shortly resign and his successor will be Mr. L. S. Allen, of Washington.

The mother of Charlotte Crane, the actress, says the report that her daughter was to marry Coxswain Peterson, of the United States navy, was without foundation.

The ladies of Savannah are endeavoring to give the soldiers of the Seventh Army Corps a thanksgiving dinner. There are twelve thousand men in the corps and the undertaking is a large one.

The Wrong Leg.

There is an enterprising Liverpool tailor who has never been known to acknowledge that he didn't have anything a possible customer might ask for.

One day a customer entered the shop and asked if he had any trousers made especially for one legged men.

"Certainly," replied the merchant.

"What kind do you want?"

"Dress trousers," said the man. "The best you've got."

Hurrying into the rear of the store, the enterprising merchant snatched up a pair of trousers and snipped off the right leg with a pair of scissors. Hastily turning under the edges, he presented them to the customer.

"That's the kind I want. What's the price?"

"One guinea."

"Well, give me a pair with the left leg off."

A month later the merchant was pronounced convalescent and on the high road to recovery.—Pearson's Weekly.

How Mines Are Exploded.

There are several methods by which mines and torpedoes anchored in harbors may be detected, but it is very dangerous and difficult work, and its success depends largely upon the circumstances and the condition of the water and the bottom of the bay in which they are placed. Sometimes they are discovered by dragging with a kedge. Sometimes they can be seen when the water is clear, and in order to assist the natural vision a canvas telescope is rigged which drops upon the water and shuts out the light from the eyes of the observer so that he can have a better view of the bottom. There are other methods also known to sailors and frequently practiced. The most effective is called "countermining"—that is, the explosion of torpedoes in the water, which by their detonation cause the mines to explode.—Chicago Record.

Druggists' Lights.

An apothecary found himself minus his red light one night, at a time when it was customary for tradesmen of his class to ornament their store fronts with a simple red lamp. To supply his need he took a glass bottle filled with a red fluid and placed a candle behind it. The effect so pleased him that he added another. Rival druggists illuminated their windows, increasing the number of lights and also changing the colors. Thus the entire town followed the lead. So it became the fashion.—Christian Work.

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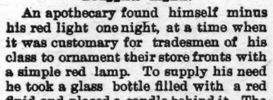

WILMINGTON, N. C., NOV. 11TH, 1898.

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